

correctness of the maxim "nothing is like success" is well exemplified in the Sansaparrila. The most successful combination of alternatives and tonics, it is successful in causing illness of the



## The Bucks County Gazette

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TO ADVERTISERS AND CORRESPONDENTS.  
The Gazette will be pleased to receive all communications, and to publish them, if they are of interest to the community. Communications should be sent to the Editor, and should be accompanied by the name of the contributor. In all cases the writer's name is required, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1891.

**THE President's Message to Congress** reviews in detail the Foreign Relations of this country, especially with Italy, Chili and China, the Russian Jew-hating, and the Nicaragua Canal. Under the head of National Finances the benefits of the Protective Tariff are enlarged upon; a Revenue Surplus of more than \$37,000,000 is reported; a full trial of existing laws relating to Silver Coinage is urged; the public debt has been materially decreased and the currency in circulation increased. Attention is called to various topics in the reports of the Secretary of War and Attorney-General. The extension of Free Postal Delivery is recommended, and hope is expressed that ocean mails will soon be carried by American ships. Gratifying progress in Naval Affairs is reported. Indian Affairs are discussed at some length. It is believed that there will be no call for a deficiency appropriation for Pensions. The good work of the Agricultural Department is recognized. Increased appropriations for the Civil-Service Commission are recommended. Legislation for the protection of the lives of Railroad employees is strongly urged. The "Michigan Plan" for choosing Presidential Electors is considered, and attention called to the evils of "Gerrymandering" and other tricks intended to subvert the popular will. The Message closes with an earnest appeal for a free ballot, equal representation, unity of interests, and a stronger National spirit.

The Methodists propose to spend half a million dollars in home mission work next year. There is room for it.

The Nizam of Hyderabad bids fair to go down as one of the famous men of history. He is not great intellectually, nor is he a great warrior. He simply bargained to pay \$2,000,000 for a diamond.

It is hard to see at first glance how the political disturbances in Brazil can affect our country, yet at the rumor of trouble there the price of coffee advanced several points in America. Revolution will prevent coffee planting. The Chilean war caused much financial disturbance in England, since millions of British money are invested in the mineral fertilizing works there. In one way or another all the nations are so joined.

After the recent crash in Berlin Europe can hardly cast the reproach of financial recklessness into the teeth of Americans any more. Ten per cent interest on money in Europe would be a tolerably certain indication of financial soundness, yet the stiff old German nobles who deposited their cash with the houses that went down continued for several years to draw that amount in quarterly payments. If they had stopped to consider one moment, they might have known this could not go on, but they did not stop. Then when they lost their money, with no one to blame but themselves, a great howl went abroad through the land about dishonest bankers who had dared to swindle members of the German nobility. The audacity of the thing was what took away the breath of the counts and barons and princes. To think a low, common mortal would dare!

### The Great Pacific States.

Does the son of this republic ever stop to think that this country reaches from ocean to ocean, from Atlantic to Pacific, and that, except Canada, which will be a part of the Union, perhaps, one day, his country is the only one in civilization that does this stretch from ocean to ocean? William H. Seward, who becomes a greater man as his various prophecies one after another come true, predicted that the Pacific ocean will be the scene of man's greatest achievements in the future.

William L. Merry, writing in The Forum, declares that if the American government and people act the part we do, these great achievements will mainly be accomplished on our own Pacific coast, and thus the United States will gain the supremacy of the world. First of all he mentions the "climate" of the Pacific coast, which a tourist writes to a private letter would be tolerable to the inhabitants of the California coast did not fling it into the traveler's teeth morning, noon and night. If the tourist could have a little rest on the subject he would think more of this glorious climate.

Mr. Merry points out the factors which are to make the Pacific states leaders in the grand march of civilization. The California redwood, the white cedar of Oregon, the sugar pine and the Oregon pine are some of the varieties of wood already renowned that go to make the Pacific coast lumber region the finest timber district on the globe. The Pacific coast fisheries are practically inexhaustible, the soil is fertile except in the mountains; but these, not to be left behind, make up for absence of fertility by being incalculably rich in minerals. The capacity of the ground for agricultural production can only be measured when irrigation is fully developed.

California is becoming the Italy of America. Instead of going to old Italy, with its ruins, taxes and swarms of fleas and beggars, the American tourist should take a trip to California, and then realize for the first time that his country spans the continent. But in the judgment of Mr. Merry and the people of the Pacific coast, one grievous lack mars the shining prospects of the Pacific coast. That is the fact that the Nicaragua canal is not yet

built. That canal, which would allow wheat to be shipped in bulk directly through to Europe, would save \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000 in freight, insurance and interest. With that canal open the fruits of California could go from San Francisco to Europe in refrigerated steamers in twenty-five days. The Pacific side of Central America would profit almost equally with our Pacific coast. A maritime commercial supremacy which dazzles the understanding to contemplate would result to the United States.

For this magnificent development Mr. Merry pronounces three conditions necessary:

First—A rigid exclusion of Mongolian immigration.  
Second—The encouragement of a desirable Canadian immigration, as far as practicable of our own people, from the states east of the Rocky mountains.  
Third—The construction of the Nicaragua canal at an early date as possible, to give us a cheap and short transportation route under our control, which shall supplement the work of the present and future railway systems to reach the Pacific.

A rapid development of wealth, industry and population, without the canal, is an impossibility. Until that is completed we must have a cheap and short transportation route under our control, which shall supplement the work of the present and future railway systems to reach the Pacific.

Meaning a vegetable garden at Arlington, Mass. has been doing some practical work on his own account, that discloses all the achievements of the scientific man apparently. Mr. Rawson the vegetable gardener, had some flower beds on a certain side of his yard that did not thrive and never had thriven.

An electric light was erected in such a position that its rays fall directly upon these beds. They shortly began to grow as they never had done before. Could it have been the light that caused it? Mr. Rawson then introduced electric lights into the hothouses in which he raised winter cabbages and lettuce. The effect here was as marked as it had been in case of the flower beds, and the gardener's profits were increased 25 per cent. The vegetables were of better quality and grew to perfection sooner than under the old method. Mr. Rawson's plan was to let the electric light shine upon the plants. Some of the scientific gentlemen, on the other hand, rents through the plants down to their roots.

Perhaps we are on the threshold of great discoveries in this field. Perhaps this is one of the new methods whereby the earth will be made to yield food for six times as many persons as it now does.

A long Philadelphia paper learnedly informs us that "Kangaroo, Mich." is known as Celery City, from the great quantities of the "nutty flavored vegetable" grown there. This is too much. Is it possible that the man from Kalamazoo has never been in Philadelphia?

Costa Rica.  
Are predicted with reliable accuracy, and people to the pains and aches of their ailments dread every change to damp or stormy weather. Although Hood's Sarsaparilla is not claimed to be a positive specific for rheumatism, the remarkable cure it has effected shows that it may be taken for this complaint with reasonable certainty of benefit. Its action in neutralizing the acidity of the blood, which is the cause of rheumatism, constitutes the secret of the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla. If you suffer from rheumatism, give Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial, it will do you good.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in her feeling and sympathetic letter on the subject of the remarriage of widowers, remarks, "The dead are so very dead; the living are so much alive." The conclusion of the whole matter from Mrs. Wilcox's point of view is this. It behooves the woman who would not be forgotten to stay alive.

Here is something new for all the political orators to take up: Secretary Tillman, of the National Farmers' Alliance, declared in his speech at Indianapolis that the "billion dollar congress," the magnificent name under which our fifty-first national assembly will pass into history, expended while it was in session an amount of money equal to sixty dollars a day from the birth of Christ down to the present time.

## Catarrh

Is a complaint so common that comparatively few people are entirely free from it, so ubiquitous that it is a fact almost before the eyes of every one, and so dangerous as to seriously threaten the general health, and liable to develop into bronchitis or consumption.

It is a mistake to consider Catarrh merely a local trouble. It is unquestionably a disease of the blood, and therefore the right way to cure Catarrh is to remove from the blood the impurities which cause it. This is to be done by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, which effectually expels all traces of poison and germs of disease.

**Stuffed-up Feeling**  
"For years I have been troubled with that terrible disagreeable disease, Catarrh. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla with the very best results. It cured me of that continual dripping in my throat, and of that 'stuffed-up feeling.'" Mrs. S. D. HEATH, Putnam, Conn.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me of Catarrh, and built up my general health, so that I am feeling better than for years."

Is the only medicine I know of which will cure Catarrh." Geo. Foster, Logan, Ohio.

N. B. Be sure to get Hood's.

## THE GREAT NORTHWEST.

The States of Montana and Washington are very fully described in two folders issued by the Northern Pacific Railroad, entitled "Golden Montana" and "Fruitful Washington." The folders contain good country maps of the States named, and information in reference to climate, lands, resources and other subjects of interest to capitalists, business men and settlers.

Holders of second class tickets to North Pacific Coast points, via Northern Pacific Railroad, are allowed the privilege of stopping over at Spokane, Washington, and other points west thereof, for the purpose of examining all sections of this magnificent State before leaving. Northern Pacific Railroad, through express trains carry free of charge sleeping cars from St. Paul, and Pullman tourist sleepers from Chicago (via Wisconsin Central Line) to Montana and Pacific Coast points daily.

California tourists, and travelers to Montana and the North Pacific Coast, can purchase round trip excursion tickets at rates which amount to but little more than the one-way fare. Choice of routes is allowed on these tickets, which are good for three or six months, according to destination, and permit of stop-overs.

The elegant equipment on the Northern Pacific Railroad, the first class sleeping cars from Chicago (via both Wisconsin Central Line and C. & N. P. Ry.) to Pacific Coast points, and the most magnificent scenery of seven States, are among the advantages and attractions offered to travelers by this line.

The "Wonderland" book issued by the Northern Pacific Railroad describes the country between the Great Lakes and Pacific Ocean, with maps and illustrations. For our of those who desire publications, and rates, maps, time tables, write to any General or District Passenger Agent, or Chas. S. Fee, G. P. & T. A., N. P. R. R., St. Paul, Minn.

## Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

## Wanamaker's

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, December 7, 1891.

The Advertiser prowling about recently came suddenly upon dazzling things that started his eyes with wonder. To him—news. Perhaps the same to you.

The surprise was in and about the little Turkish Room in the Upholstery section, second floor, Thirteenth street. In times past we have made a panic in adjectives when writing about our Oriental Embroideries. Sincere always and truthful in all that we have ever stated on the subject, we drop the adjectives now perforce. Drop them in the presence of an array of Turkish Embroideries that makes all past collections seem pale. Drop them—they are unequal to the occasion.

This is one of the out-of-the-way places that the crowds do not seek. It points the truth of our advice—"explore." The brilliant things in Embroidery of gold and silk on various Gay, not gaudy. You could not think of a Saracen as gay and frivolous. Alert, active, terrible, mysterious—never frolicsome. So a touch of seriousness comes into the merchandise, makes the brilliant rich and gives the restful touch to the highest color.

The Embroidery takes cabalistic form and Arab letters perhaps Moslem prayers are stretched in.

But the solemn merchandise and the serious manner doesn't make Turk or Arab a model of honest trading. All the Far-away-Moses business is stuff and—and—very extraordinary prices. To flank it and get to bed-rock values is no easy thing. Been at it for long, and at last have succeeded.

Therefore this strange semi-barbaric elegance comes to you to-day at costs far below the past. The cheapness will surprise you—that is if you have any faculty of surprise for cheapness after your long knowledge of the economic triumphs of our Modern Methods in Merchandising.

And this is the way they go:

**Lambrequins:**  
24 colors, gold and silk, fringed, 22x30 inches, \$30.  
Gold and silk on crepe, 20x30 inches, \$15.

**Curtains:**  
Gold and silk on crepe, \$25 a pair.

**Table Covers:**  
Various colors, gold and silk on satin, 46x64 inches, \$30.  
Various colors, gold and silk on satin, 46x64 inches, \$40.  
Various colors, gold and silk on satin, 26x36 inches, \$25.  
Various colors, gold and silk on silk, 26x36 inches, \$15.  
Various colors, gold and silk on silk, 26x36 inches, \$25.  
Various colors, gold and silk on silk, 26x36 inches, \$40.  
White tinsel and silk on crepe, 22x32 inches, \$20.  
White tinsel and silk on crepe, 22x32 inches, \$20.

**Table Scarfs:**  
Various colors, gold and silk on satin, 22x30 inches, \$25.  
White tinsel on very fine silk gauze, 22x30 inches, \$4.  
White tinsel and silk on crepe, 22x30 inches, \$5.  
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White tinsel and silk on crepe, 22x30 inches, \$5.

**Doylies:**  
White tinsel and silk on crepe, \$1 a dozen.

The Military touch has graced the Women's Overcoats this season. The stock is reinforced to-day. The campaign

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is active and has gone on with unceasing stir since last June. A late assortment is here of Military Cape Overcoats in all the newest mixed Scotch stuffs; a fresh idea is the Cravering, shower-proofing, real Scotch Cheviots from which the Long Coats with Inverness Capes are made; the long Cavalier Capes appear in meltons, broadcloths, plushes and matelasses; the Queen's Own—Newmarket with Cape a-la-militaire—rules fabric and fashion now as for some months past. Here are a few details:

**At \$7:**  
About twenty-five of the handsome Long Coats that have been up to \$23.

**At \$9:**  
Handsome Long Capes of Camel's-Hair Twill, with tin, stone, and navy embroidery, Feathers and Jet.

**At \$9, \$12, \$14.50:**  
Astonishingly trimmed English Box Reverses.

**At \$10:**  
About forty of the handsome Ulsters that have been up to \$25. Still a good variety of styles.

**At \$12:**  
Fifty English Box Reverses gray or tan Scotch Mixtures, half lined with satin; full Shawls of Natural Opposum.

**At \$13:**  
Cape Sleeve Paleotes in large variety.

**At \$15 to \$35:**  
Over twenty different styles of Coats and Reverses trimmed with the choicest Moulton in shades to match.

## Wanamaker's

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, December 7, 1891.

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The Story of the United States. Told for Young People. By Elbridge S. Brooks. A clear, concise and comprehensive account of the development and growth of the great American Republic. Fully illustrated and handsomely printed quarto volume bound in cloth with the title stamped in silver, size 8x10 inches; over 1 inch thick, made to sell at \$1.50. Our price 75 cents, by mail \$1.

December Book News (152 pages) is ready.

## JOHN WANAMAKER.

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, December 7, 1891.

SHERMAN & PEIRCE wish to inform the Public that notwithstanding the fire they are prepared to furnish Lumber, Shingles, etc., as usual, and at as early a date as possible, will rebuild and resume business in all departments.

## Chrysanthemums.

ROSES, Violets, Carnations, Heliotropes, Lillies and all of the popular and seasonable flowers freshly cut every day. Roses and Chrysanthemums from 5 to 6 inches in diameter and on stems from 1 to 2 feet in length. We take special pride in cutting all flowers on long stems. Carnations, Chrysanthemums, and Primroses in all size pots for window culture. Dutch Belles, Lillies and bulbous roots of every description will establish d in pots suitable for window culture, will be in full bloom for Christmas. A large line of fresh flowers on hand at all times. Floral designs of every description made up at short notice, at the Pond street Greenhouse.

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## Miscellaneous

The Kindergarten and Primary School will re-open on September 28, 1891.

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No. 61 Mill Street, Bristol, Pa.

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Parlor Stoves, Double Heaters, Cook Stoves, Ranges, Portable Heaters, High Art Stoves, and Embossed Stove Boards, and Bread Boxes, Tin Pitchers, Paper Wash Basins, Galvanized Waiters, Argol Ware, Knives, Forks and Spoons.

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the best article in the world for cleaning nickel, brass, silver, &c. Wash Boilers, Japan-ware, Milk Pans and other articles in the tin line. Police attention. No trouble to show goods.

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## An Ordinance

TO CHANGE THE WIDTH OF THE SIDEWALKS ON BRIDGE STREET, BETWEEN SOUTH STREET AND THE CANAL, AND TO REQUIRE THE CURBING AND GUTTERING OF SAME.

The Borough and Town Council of the Borough of Morrisville, Pa., do ordain:

Section 1. That after the passage of this ordinance the width of the sidewalks on Bridge St., from Smith street to the canal, shall be one-half the width of the street.

Section 2. That the sidewalks on said street shall be curved with stone not less than four (4) inches thick and sixteen (16) inches deep, and the gutters shall be six (6) inches deep from top of curb and shall be paved not less than thirty (30) inches in width with brick placed edge-wise, or with a flat gutter stone not less than twelve (12) inches in width next to curb, and the remainder with cobblestones not less than four (4) inches in diameter. All curbing and paving shall be done under the direction and to the entire satisfaction of the Street Committee.

Section 3. That any owner or owners of property on either side of said street, shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the Street Committee to cause the same to be done, and the cost thereof to be paid by the owner or owners of the property.

Section 4. If any owner or owners of property on either side of said street, shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the Street Committee to cause the same to be done, and the cost thereof to be paid by the owner or owners of the property.

Section 5. Any portion of any ordinance in any way or manner conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance is hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber, in the Borough of Morrisville, Pa., this 25th day of October, in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and ninety-one.

JOHN C. DOWNS, President of Council.

Attest: ISAAC PARSONS, Secy.

Approved this thirteenth day of October, A. D. 1891.

JOHN KNOWLES, Burgess of Morrisville Borough.

## Burke's Express.

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## ESTATE NOTICE.

Estate of CHARLES SWENNEY, deceased, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County.

ALL persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same are desired to present them in proper order for settlement without delay to

A. WEIR GILKESON, Executor.

## Miscellaneous

Do you want any Printing?

THE attention of the public is directed to the fact that the Job Department of the GAZETTE office is better equipped in all the material that is needed to do excellent printing, than any other office in Bristol, or for that matter, any other establishment in lower Bucks County.

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IN THE first place it contains the largest assortment of Job Types, selected with care for beauty of face and diversity of work, together with a great variety of cuts, rules, borders, etc. It has four sizes of printing presses of the best makes and other requisite machinery which perform the work in the best manner. The presses are run by steam power and execute their work with precision and rapidity.

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